

Living A Lie

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Summary: Abbie is a nurse in Holby ED. She's living a lie. She's being abused by her boyfriend. She tells everyone she's in a loving relationship. Cal can see through the lie. He, along with Ethan and others in the ED try and convince Abbie she needs to break free before its too late. Can Abbie ever escape the lie she's living? Will Cal ever tell Abbie how he feels?

1. Chapter 1

****Chapter One. ****

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****A/N - This fanfic is slightly different to my other ones. Abbie isn't related to anyone in the ED. She's a nurse. Abbie is in an abusive relationship. Abbie tries to convince everyone she's happy with her boyfriend. Cal, Ethan and everyone try and convince her to leave him but she can't seem to let it sink in that she's being abused. Abbie eventually ends up with Cal.****

****Tell me what you think. If no one likes this then I'll take it down. There'll be mentions of abuse in this. ****

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Abbie arrived at work. She looked in her rearview mirror and saw the bruise forming on her face. She knew she would have to cover it up before anyone saw it. Abbie took her foundation out of her bag and attempted to cover it up. It hurt when she touched it. "Come on Abbie. Be brave," she mumbled.

Eventually, Abbie covered up the bruise and plastered on a fake

smile. She went inside and saw Cal. "Morning my Knight in grey scrubs."

Cal smirked. He looked at Abbie and spoke. "Morning my blue haired beauty. How are you on this freezing morning?"

"Freezing."

Cal laughed and watched as Abbie walked off. He knew she was being abused and it tore him apart. He couldn't believe someone as beautiful as Abbie was being abused. He wanted to do something to help her but he didn't know what.

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Abbie was looking after a patient. She could tell the make up was running. "Are you okay? You're looking rather peaky," the patient commented.

"F-Fine. Thank you. I'm here to look after you. Not the other way round," Abbie said with a smile. She hated allowing people to see her bruises. It made her anxious.

Once satisfied that the patients obs were okay, Abbie went to have her break. She was feeling sick. Abbie got herself a cup of coffee. She looked in the mirror and saw that the foundation had come off. The bruise was visible. "Abbie?"

Abbie turned to see Cal and Ethan standing there. They were staring at her bruise. "What happened?" Cal demanded.

Abbie didn't know what to say. "I erm, I w-walked into a door that was left open. Clumsy old me," she said. It was obviously a lie. "You know what I'm like."

Cal wasn't convinced. Ethan wasn't either. "Let's get that checked out," Cal said. He walked over to Abbie and placed a hand on her arm. He noticed her flinch when he touched her. "Come on. You make jokes about my womanizing."

Abbie shook her head. "Look, I'm a nurse Cal. I can get myself checked out," she said. She hated being horrid to him but she couldn't handle everyone knowing.

Cal and Ethan watched as Abbie walked out. They both knew they needed to help her but they didn't know how.

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Abbie sat in the bathrooms and she cried. She couldn't understand why no one could understand that Jason loved her but he got angry at times especially with his job. She didn't blame him.

Before Abbie went back on duty, she received a text from Jason

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****Lost my job. Baby, I need u - Jx****

Abbie paled. She started shaking and tried to not scream. She realised that Jason needed her more than anything. Abbie wiped away

her tears and she went to see Connie. She explained how she had a family emergency and Connie allowed her to go.

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Cal saw Abbie leaving and he went to go after her. Charlie stopped him. "She has a family emergency. Connie's given her the afternoon off," Charlie informed him.

Cal closed his eyes and sighed. "She hasn't got any family, Charlie. They all turned their backs on her when she left London."

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Abbie arrived back home. She saw the empty cans on the floor. "Jason? Where are you?" Abbie called out.

"A-Abbie! I'm in the bedroom!"

Sighing to herself, she walked up to the bedroom. She saw Jason lying on the bed. A bottle of vodka in his hand. "Baby, I'm sorry," Abbie said. She tried to put on a brave face and comfort her boyfriend.

Jason looked up and glared. "Sorry? You're _sorry?!_" He yelled. He threw the bottle across the bedroom causing it to smash against the wall. He stood from the bed and grabbed Abbie's hair. "You are such a stupid tart! You think you can do whatever you want and not suffer? Well I'm going to make you suffer," he spat.

Before Abbie could reply, Jason pushed her onto the bed and undressed her. "Don't do this," Abbie pleaded. It fell on deaf ears. Jason continued. He violated her in a way she thought he would never do.

X-X-X

Cal sat at home. He was worrying about Abbie. He knew she wasn't sorting a family emergency. He got his phone and tried ringing her but it went straight to voicemail -

_"This is Abbie. I'm not available right now so please leave a message and I'll get back to you when I can. Stay strong." _

"Abbie, its Cal. Can you give me a call so I know you're alright? Please, I'm worried now."

Cal hung up and sighed. He wished he knew where Abbie lived.

****The Next Day. ****

Abbie hadn't slept and it was obvious. She hadn't even cried as she looked at her busted lip and the bruises over her body. She kept telling herself that Jason loved her and that he was just hurting from losing his job.

When Abbie arrived at the ED, she noticed Cal standing in the car park. She climbed out of her car and he came over. Abbie tried to delay turning to look at him. "Why didn't you answer my call?" Cal

asked.

"M-My phone died. I didn't charge it. I'm sorry," Abbie mumbled. She turned to Cal. She saw his reaction to her face. "Don't."

"What the hell happened? Don't give me any crap either about doors Abbie. There's only so many times you can use that," Cal said.

Abbie wiped her eyes. Her sleeve caught on her lip and it started bleeding slightly. "Don't make a fuss. I'm fine."

"Yeah right Abbie! What happened and I want the truth," Cal demanded. He wouldn't let it go now he had seen her like this.

"H-He didn't mean it. He's lost his job and he'd been drinking. I-I've forgiven him," Abbie lied. Jason had been passed out when Abbie left. She wanted to leave it that way too. "Cal, please," she pleaded.

Cal shook his head. "I can't let this go Abbie. This is abuse! He needs to be locked up!"

Abbie sobbed. "Please Cal. Y-You don't understand! Jason does love me but things are hard right now. I promise that if he does this again then I'll leave him," she said. She couldn't leave him. She had no one else.

Cal reluctantly agreed. "If this happens once more then I'm sorry, I'll be ringing the police. I don't want you in any danger I lo- care about you," he said. He almost told Abbie he loved her. He wanted to do whatever it took to keep her safe. She was his rock through the Matilda situation. He wanted her to be loved like she deserved and he would rescue her.

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**A/N - Here's chapter one. **

**Tell me what you think. If you think I should take it down then tell me. I don't want to upset anyone. **

**Hope you liked. **

**R&R - Really makes my day. **

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2. Chapter 2

**Chapter Two. **

**A/N - Thank you to the people who have favourited&followed. Also, a big thanks to sweet-as-honey for reviewing. The flashbacks in this chapter were her idea so this is dedicated to her. **

Abbie would be played by Demi Lovato.

Tell me what you think'xo

****X-X-X****

Abbie's cuts and bruises had all gone. She still hadn't forgotten what Jason had done to her. She couldn't forget. It was still fresh in her head. Everytime she closed her eyes, it haunted her.

Abbie woke that morning and saw Jason. He came in with a tray of breakfast. "I realise what I did the other night was horrid. I'm so sorry baby. I love you," Jason said.

Abbie just smiled. Jason gave her the tray and sat next to her. Abbie flinched. "Baby, I'm sorry I forced you into making love. I was angry and hurt. We shouldn't let that stop what we want."

"What's that?"

"Our own little baby. We can be a family Abbie," Jason said. He watched as Abbie ate her breakfast.

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Abbie arrived at work. She had a smile on her face. Cal came over to her. "Morning."

Abbie looked up and she grinned. "Morning Cal. I have something to tell you."

"What's that?"

"Jason wants us to try for a baby. He wants us to be a family," Abbie told him. She saw the look on Cal's face. "Jason said he was sorry Cal. We're moving on."

Cal just nodded. He knew Abbie was now living a lie. She was believing what she wanted to believe. "Well, I'm sure your baby will be adorable."

X-X-X

Cal sat in the staffroom and sighed to himself. He knew Abbie would be a brilliant Mum. Especially with the help she gave him with Matilda.

****Flashback;****

"Come on Toad, tell daddy what's wrong," Cal said to the crying baby girl. She had been crying for at least half an hour.

_"You do realise that she can't talk yet don't you? She's only a baby." _

_Cal looked up to see Abbie standing there. Her blue hair sitting in a bun on top of her head. She came over. "Well she needs to tell me what's wrong. I don't know." _

_Abbie smiled and took Matilda from Cal. "Hey little baby girl. Daddy needs a woman's touch because he doesn't have a clue," Abbie said. She bounced Matilda in her arms gently. "Have you got any bottles or nappies?" Abbie asked. _

_Cal handed Matilda's changing bag to Abbie. "Come on baby Tilly, let's go and get you smiling." _

_Cal watched as Abbie fed and changed Matilda. "You're brilliant with her," Cal commented. He loved how Abbie had the ability to make anyone smile. _

_"She's a cute little girl. Takes after her daddy," Abbie said.

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_"Thanks." _

_Abbie laughed. "Don't let that go to your head Knight. I wasn't flirting," she teased. _

"You love me," Cal said.

_"I do." _

****End Flashback. ****

Cal sighed. He wanted Abbie to know how much he loved her. He wanted to be the one she had a baby with.

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Abbie was on duty. She saw Robyn and Max coming over. "We're all going out tonight if you fancy it," Robyn said.

Abbie shook her head. "I'd love to but Jason wants me home. He wants to try for a baby," she told them. She couldn't ignore the looks on their face. "Look, I know Cal has been talking to you. Jason isn't abusive. He had a few off days. We all have them."

"We're just worried about you. We all love you," Robyn said. She wanted her closest friend to be safe.

"Robyn, I love you all too. I just want to have a family with Jason. What's so wrong with that?" Abbie asked. She didn't wait for an answer and she walked off.

X-X-X

Abbie sat in the toilets and she cried. She hated how she was losing everyone. She didn't want to but she didn't want to lose Jason. He loved her. She was certain of it.

Leaving the bathroom, Abbie wiped away her tears and went back on duty. She wasn't going to let her patients down. They needed her and she was going to do her best for them.

While walking to her patients, she received a text from Jason

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****The Dr said to try having sex in warm water. Increases chances of getting pregnant - Jx ****

Abbie sighed slightly. She put her phone away and went to look after her patients. She wasn't too sure if she wanted a baby with Jason. She knew he wouldn't give up however.

X-X-X

Cal saw Abbie and he knew she had been crying. It was obvious. She put on an act and told everyone she was fine but she wasn't. Everyone knew it. They all wanted to help Abbie but she wouldn't accept the help. She was so stubborn at times.

Cal went over to Ethan. "We need to get Abbie away from him. He's destroying her, Ethan. We need to do something so he doesn't hurt her."

Ethan looked up. "Cal, Abbie won't accept the help. She's convinced that she's happy with Jason. He's everything to her and she doesn't have any family."

"She does have family Ethan. She has us," Cal said. He had the feeling that Ethan knew about his feelings for Abbie. "I love her Ethan. I think I love her more than I loved Taylor."

Ethan realised that Cal was serious about Abbie and for him to admit that he loved her more than Taylor, that meant he realised Taylor was no good.

X-X-X

Abbie went home and saw Jason. He handed her some flowers. "You're stunning and our baby who will look just like Mummy."

Abbie smiled slightly as Jason took her up to the bathroom. "I've made sure that tonight is special. I have candles and rose petals," Jason told her.

Abbie looked at Jason. "I-I don't want to try for a baby."

Suddenly, Jason got angry. He pushed Abbie up against the wall. She hit her head. "I tell you I want a baby and you tell me no? Abbie, I get what I want and I want a baby."

"Jason! I don't want a baby! Not with you!" Abbie screamed. She was going to make herself heard. "Get off me Jason!"

Jason punched her and she fell to the ground. "We're going to try for a baby! Okay?" He spat.

Abbie said nothing. He shoved her into the bathroom and stripped her off. He put her in the bath and climbed in after her. Once again, he forced her into it.

A few hours later, Abbie curled up in bed and she cried. She didn't want Jason's baby. She knew she would end up pregnant. Jason said they would be having sex everynight until she was pregnant. She knew that if she didn't consent then he would force her into it. "You were great baby," Jason said.

Abbie sobbed into her pillow. Jason was running his fingers up and down her back. He didn't notice the tears and started kissing her neck.

Jason had fallen asleep. Abbie got her phone and she text Cal -

****I love you Cal. Never ever forget that - Ax****

Abbie sent the text and she tried to fall asleep. She knew the sleep wouldn't come easily. She wanted Cal. She was too weak to leave Jason and she knew it.

****X-X-X****

****A/N - Tell me what you thought of this chapter. ****

****There'll be another flashback in the next chapter (: ****

****Love all my readers****

****Xo****

3. Chapter 3

****Chapter Three. ****

****A/N - I'm making Rita's ex Mark a friend of Jason's. Abbie has never met Mark before until this chapter. Hope that's okay that I've included Mark in this. I want my readers to enjoy reading this. I've had some nasty reviews on a Fanfic that I posted last night and took down this morning. I'm sorry if my writing is bad.****

****Tell me what you think. ****

****X-X-X****

Abbie had been too scared to stand up to Jason again. She knew what she would get and what would happen if she did. She had been forced into trying to get pregnant. She didn't want to bring a baby into the world. Especially a baby who would have an abusive father. It wasn't right.

Abbie had kept herself to herself at work. She hadn't been able to look at Cal. She didn't want to see the look of worry in his eyes. The man she loved. She was certain that she loved Cal.

Abbie went downstairs that morning and saw Jason. "Get that blue out your hair! Its ridiculous," he spat. He had been more horrid than usual. Abbie didn't know what she had done.

"S-Sorry. I'll dye it after work," Abbie mumbled. She would do anything to make her home life easier.

"Go blonde. It will suit that face of yours."

Abbie just nodded. She couldn't handle it anymore.

X-X-X

Abbie arrived at work and she saw Cal waiting for her. "I got your text the other night. I would have mentioned it before but you've been avoiding me," he said.

Abbie looked at him. "Cal, I meant what I said in that text. I love

you so much but we can't be together. Jason he would kill me probably," she mumbled.

"Come and stay with me and Ethan. Please Abbie. We can bunk up," Cal said in an attempt to lighten the mood.

"I-I can't. I'm sorry Cal," Abbie said. She stroked his cheek and then kissed him passionately on the lips. Cal kissed back.

X-X-X

Jason sat in the house waiting for his friend to turn up. Eventually, the doorbell rang and so he let him in. "Mark, good to see you again mate."

"You too Jase. Where's the girl of yours?" Mark asked.

Jason scoffed. "Saving lives. I reckon she's shagging a Doctor in that place."

"I think she is. I've seen her playing tonsil tennis with some doctor there," Mark said.

Anger etched its self onto Jason's face. "The dirty little slag. Wait until she's back here."

X-X-X

Abbie could see how badly not having Matilda was affecting Cal. She wished she could do something to help him. She wanted to help him out.

A patient was brought in by Dixie. A one year old little girl. "Suspected child abuse."

Abbie felt her heart breaking. She hated abuse and for a one year old little girl to be abused it proved Abbie's thoughts that there was something wrong with the world. "Hey cutie pie. My name is Abbie and I'm going to help make you better," Abbie said.

"Babbie," the little girl said. She took Abbie's hand with her own tiny hand and giggled. "Babbie."

Abbie smiled slightly. Tears were rolling down her cheeks. "Call me Babbie," she said with a smile. She wanted to take the little girl's suffering away. She wanted her. "What's her name?" She asked Dixie.

"Poppy Stevens."

Abbie looked at Poppy. "You're a happy little flower aren't you cutie pie?" Abbie said. She knew how terrifying it was in ED, especially for a one year old little girl so she wanted to do anything she could to make her happy.

X-X-X

Poppy had gone to the Children's ward. Abbie had said she would go and see her soon. Abbie wished she could have adopted Poppy but she

wasn't living in a stable enviroment for a child especially one as vulnerable as Poppy.

Abbie sat in the staffroom and she cried. Cal came in. "What's wrong?" He asked. In part, he knew why she was crying.

"T-That poor little girl. She's only one and she's been abused. She had a smile on her face the whole time she was in here. I've never seen a child so happy and giggling before," Abbie sobbed.

Cal held her close. "Look at me," he said. When Abbie was looking at him, he continued. "You're beautiful and one day you're going to be free from that monster. When you do, then I'll be here waiting to take you into my arms and possibly my bed."

Abbie giggled slightly. "Do you remember when I had to come and rescue you from Matilda's exploding nappy?"

"How could I forget? It was everywhere!"

****Flashback;****

_ "No, Toad. Don't make your nappy explode. Not today," Cal pleaded with his crying daughter. "Come on Matilda. Save this for uncle Nibbles. He always gets the easier stuff." _

_ Matilda cried louder. Cal realised there was one thing he could do - Call Abbie. He grabbed his phone and called her. Abbie said she would be there as soon as she could. _

_ "Auntie Abbie is coming now Toad. She'll sort this," Cal mumbled.

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X-X-X

_ Abbie soon turned up. "What's happened? Is she okay?" Abbie frantically asked. _

_ "Her nappy exploded," Cal said. _

_ Abbie burst out laughing. She couldn't hold it in. "S-Sorry C-Cal. I can't help myself. H-Her nappy exploded and you've got it all down you," Abbie said through her laughter. _

_ "Laugh all you want. Can you please help?" Cal pleaded. He sighed in relief when Abbie took Matilda from him. _

_ "Go and do her a bath. We'll bathe her together. I know you'll panic," Abbie said with a smirk._

_ "Don't be mean." _

_ Abbie giggled and while Cal was sorting out Matilda's bath, Abbie got Matilda sorted and got rid of the nappy. "Bath is all done."

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_ "Come on Tilly terror. Let's go make you smell clean as a daisy."

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X-X-X

_They bathed Matilda together and she smelt clean. "Cal, go get yourself a shower. I'll stay with Matilda," Abbie said. _

_"Are you sure?" _

_"Course I am." _

X-X-X

_Cal came out of the shower and saw Abbie singing to Matilda. She had fallen asleep in her cot. "You're brilliant with her," Cal whispered.

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_"Thanks. Anytime you need help then let me know. I'll always be here for you, Dr Knight." _

**End Flashback. **

Cal was trying to hide the tears as he thought of Matilda. "It's been a few months now. I thought I'd be over her," he admitted.

"It's going to take longer than a few months, Cal. You looked after Tilly from when she was a few hours old to three months. Those are the most important times in a baby's life. They understand that they're loved and wanted," Abbie said.

Cal sighed. "I just wish I had one more chance to tell her that I love her," he said.

Abbie was crying. She didn't realise how much Cal was truly hurting over Matilda. She realised now that her problems didn't matter as much and what did matter was helping Cal.

X-X-X

Abbie returned home from work. She smelt the beer immediately. "Abbie? Is that you?" Jason called.

"Y-Yeah. It's me. I'm just going to dye my hair," Abbie said. She hated that she had to change her appearance but she wanted an easy life.

"Good."

X-X-X

Abbie dyed her hair and went downstairs. She saw Jason's friend. "Baby, meet my closest friend Mark. Mark, this is Abbie."

"H-Hi."

Mark smiled. It wasn't a friendly smile which sent Abbie's mind into overdrive. "Mark told me something interesting earlier," Jason said.

"What was that?" Abbie asked. She was shaking as she saw Jason advancing on her.

"He saw you snogging a doctor in the car park this morning. Is that true?"

Abbie shook her head. "N-No. I'd never cheat on you Jason. We're trying for a baby aren't we?"

Jason got angry. He punched her. "Don't lie to me Abbie! If someone saw you, then they saw you! Don't even try using our child as an excuse," he yelled. He looked at Mark. "Do whatever you want with her. She's cheap," Jason spat.

Jason walked out of the room leaving Abbie alone with Mark. "D-Don't come near me!" Abbie screamed.

"Abbie! Let him do what he wants! This can be how you make it up to me," Jason called.

"NO!"

Immediately, Jason came back and pinned her against the wall. "Did you tell me no?!" He yelled. He punched Abbie in the stomach. "You won't let him do anything? Fine, then I'll be the one who does it," he hissed.

Jason dragged her to the bedroom and pinned her to the bed. "You're going to regret ever kissing that doctor," Jason spat. He undressed her and it happened again.

When Jason had finished, Abbie was half way unconscious. "You've made a massive mistake Abbie. I'm not going to forget this," Jason said before he walked out.

Abbie could just make out her phone, she attempted to grab it. She found a number. She didn't know who's number but they answered

"Hello?"

"H-Help me."

Nothing more was said, Abbie had passed out.

X-X-X

**A/N - Here's chapter three. **

**Hope you all liked it. **

**Tell me your thoughts on this. I have to admit that when I wrote the scene between Cal and Abbie before and after the flashback, I teared up slightly. I'm having a bad day and the reviews I got for a Fanfic were horrid and made me doubt my writing again. **

**Anyways, R&R - It does honestly make my whole day'xo **

4. Chapter 4

Chapter Four

A/N - I've been listening to a lot of songs recently and I think there's one that fits in with this Fanfic its the Sia song Alive.

**This chapter isn't very long. **

X-X-X

Connie Beauchamp hung up the phone after receiving a phonecall from Abbie asking for help. The line went dead straight after which worried the older woman. She knew Abbie made a lot of people smile in the ED and on occasion, she made her smile too.

Connie left the office and saw Charlie. "Have we got a home address for Abbie?" She asked the older man.

"No. There's no address for her. Is everything okay?" Charlie asked.

Connie shook her head. "Abbie just called me. She was asking for help. The line went dead," Connie told him. She was worrying.

X-X-X

Abbie had regained consciousness. She remembered what had happened and she tried to stand up but she couldn't. It hurt too much. The tears were streaming down her face.

Abbie managed to wash the blood off of her. She sat on the bed and cried. When did her life get so messed up. She wished she had taken Cal's offer. She could have been sleeping with a guy who truly loved her. Trying for a baby with someone who loved her.

Jason walked into the bedroom. He saw Abbie sitting on the bed. "Ah, you're awake. Fell asleep after we made love," he said.

Abbie scoffed. "Making love? You raped me. You call that making love?" She spat. She didn't want to be scared of him anymore. "You need locking up!"

Jason grabbed her and dragged her out of the bedroom. "Don't ever talk to me like that again! I'm the only person that will ever love you Abbie. Your parents don't want you! No one wants you," he hissed.

Abbie suddenly felt stronger. "You're wrong! Cal loves me!"

Jason had a sadistic smirk on his face. "If I can't have you then Cal definetley can't have you," he said. He shoved Abbie down the stairs.

"Mark! We need to go. Now.".

X-X-X

Charlie went to find Cal. "Have you got a home address for Abbie?" He asked.

"I think Robyn might know. Why?"

Charlie sighed. "She called Connie an hour ago asking for help," the older man told him. He saw the look on Cal's face. "Do you know something?"

"She's been getting abused by her boyfriend. It's pretty bad, Charlie," Cal told him. He knew something had to have happened if Abbie called Connie for help.

Both men went to find Robyn. "Where does Abbie live?" Cal asked. He was frantic. He saw the look on Robyn's face. "Robyn. Where does Abbie live?"

Robyn gave them the address and Cal took off to his car. He needed to see that Abbie was okay.

X-X-X

Cal pulled up outside Abbie's house. He saw the front door open slightly. Cal practically jumped out of his car and ran inside where he saw Abbie lying on the floor unconscious. "Abbie! Abbie don't do this."

Charlie came in. Iain followed. "What happened?" Iain asked as he began getting the relevant equipment needed to help Abbie.

"I think she may have fallen down the stairs," Cal said. He didn't want to lose Abbie. She was his rock. "She's been getting abused by Jason."

Iain was shocked. He always thought Jason was a nice guy and never hurt a fly. "Where's he now?"

"Hopefully far away!"

X-X-X

Iain had managed to stabilise Abbie. They were rushing her to the ED. "Come on Abs. Stay with me baby," Cal said. He hadn't let her hand go the entire time he had been with her. He hoped he would feel her squeeze it to let him know she was still there. "Come on baby. I need you and I love you."

They arrived at ED and Abbie was taken to Resus. Connie walked in. She wanted to oversee Abbie's treatment. Iain explained Abbie's injuries and the treatment he had given her in the ambulance.

X-X-X

Cal stood outside Resus. He was watching as Connie battled to save the woman he loved. "Connie. Please."

Ethan came and stood with him. "Look, they're doing everything they can for Abbie. They'll save her. Just like they did with Matilda," Ethan said in an attempt to keep his brother calm.

"Matilda wasn't fighting for her life Ethan. Abbie is."

Ethan knew his attempts weren't working. He wanted to help his

brother feel calm. "If it were Abbie standing here instead of me, what would she say?"

Cal sighed but looked at Ethan. "She would tell me to stop moping around and help save people. She would also tell me that I'm her Knight in grey scrubs," he said.

X-X-X

Connie had managed to save Abbie. "How did we miss this Charlie? How did we fail to notice Abbie was being abused by her boyfriend," Connie asked.

"We all missed it Connie. She was full of life and made all the patients smile. She hid what was really happening," Charlie said.

"The boyfriend. Where is he?"

"He wasn't at the scene. Looks like he fled after he pushed her."

X-X-X

Abbie had been moved to HDC. She had regained consciousness. She was barely recognisable because of the cuts and bruises to her face. The door opened and Cal came in. "Look who's finally woken up," Cal said.

"W-What happened?" Abbie managed to ask. She was feeling incredibly weak but she wanted to stay awake and find out what had happened to her. "Cal, tell me. Please."

Cal sat down next to her. He took her hand and kissed it. "You were pushed down the stairs at your house. You're incredibly lucky babe," he told her.

Abbie nodded. She remembered everything. _"If I can't have you then Cal definetley can't have you". _

"You're safe now Abbie. No one will hurt you," Cal said. He was going to keep Abbie safe. She was the love of his life. His second chance after Taylor.

X-X-X

Connie came into HDC to see Abbie. She saw Cal sitting next to her holding her. "Abbie, we have your results back," Connie said. Once she had Abbie's attention, Connie continued. "There'll be no permanent damage but there was something that you need to make a decision about."

"What's that?" Abbie asked. She was terrified and part of her didn't want to know the answer.

"You're pregnant."

X-X-X

****A/N - Tell me what you thought of this chapter.****

****I'd love to know what ideas you have for this - there'll be a surprise for Cal in the next chapter. ****

****R&R****

****Xo****

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file.